

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3052 - SB 3783

February 19, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes a court to impose a maximum fine of \$5,000 in addition to any other punishment that may be imposed for assault if the victim is a person officiating any school-sponsored sport or extracurricular activity involving children in grades six through twelve; if the assault occurred on school property or property where a school-sponsored event takes place; and if the assault resulted from a school-sponsored sport or extracurricular activity that the victim was officiating.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenue – Not Significant

Increase Local Revenue – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- Currently assault is a Class A or Class B misdemeanor. The maximum fine for a Class A misdemeanor is \$2,500 and \$500 for a Class B misdemeanor. If an assault is committed against a law enforcement officer, the maximum fine is \$5,000.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions where the court imposes a maximum fine of \$5,000 for state or local government to experience any significant increase in revenue.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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